Summary Report 2014 DRINKING WATER QUALITY TESTING

SUMMARY

International Chemstar Incorporated, an independent laboratory, performed testing of the drinking water system on February 25, 2014. Chemstar sampled fifteen water sources for lead, copper, total chlorine and total coliforms. Testing is part of scheduled monitoring of the drinking water systems.

RESULTS

Results of all of the water samples tested were within the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) limits for drinking water and no system adjustments are necessary.

CONTAMINATE	SOURCE OF CONTAMINANTS IN DRINKING WATER	ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) LIMITS	RESULTS
Cooper	Corrosion of plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	1.3 ppm*	0.0020 – 0.1100 ppm*
Lead	Corrosion of plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	15 mg/L**	0.000 – 0.0010 mg/L**
Total Coliforms	Indicator of potentially harmful bacteria	5% of total samples	All samples were negative
Total Chlorine	Disinfectant added to water used to control microbes	4.0 ppm*	3.0 ppm*

^{*} parts per million

OUTCOME

Drinking water system testing is scheduled annually. If you would like more detailed information or see a copy of Chemstar's report, please contact the Building Manager at (202) 208-4398 or Kenneth tunney@ios.doi.gov.

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^{**}milligrams per liter